CHAPTER 32

GOVERNMENT - STATE

SENATE BILL 12-112

BY SENATOR(S) Hodge, Steadman, Lambert; also REPRESENTATIVE(S) Levy, Becker, Gerou.

AN ACT

CONCERNING THE HEADNOTE DEFINITION OF FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT EMPLOYEES USED IN THE ANNUAL GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-75-112, **amend** (1) (d) (I) as follows:

- **24-75-112.** Annual general appropriation act headnote definitions general provisions footnotes. (1) As used in the annual general appropriation act, the following definitions and general provisions shall apply for the headnote terms preceding and specifying the purpose of certain line items of appropriation:
- (d) (I) Except as otherwise provided in subparagraph (IV) of this paragraph (d), "full-time equivalent" or "FTE" means the budgetary equivalent of one permanent position continuously filled full time for an entire fiscal year by elected state officials or by state employees who are paid for at least two thousand eighty hours per fiscal year, with adjustments made to:
- (A) Include in such time computation any sick, annual, administrative, or other paid leave; and
- (B) Exclude from such time computation any overtime or shift differential payments made in excess of regular or normal hours worked and any leave payouts upon termination of employment; AND
- (C) ACCOUNT FOR THE ACTUAL NUMBER OF WORK HOURS IN A GIVEN FISCAL YEAR.

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date. This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 8, 2012, if adjournment sine die is on May 9, 2012); except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 2012 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

Approved: March 19, 2012